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SPECIAL GOVERNMENT AGENT
GIVES DIRECTIONS FOR
FIGHTING PEST.

Tulsa, Okla., July 12, 1911.
In view of the fact that the cotton boll worm was so numerous in our cotton fields last season and as the dry condition of the soil during the fall and winter prevented practically all farmers from breaking up their fields, which operation alone could destroy the pests while in the pupal stage, this being true, the greater per cent emerged from their winter quarters in the form of a full-fledged moth, and despite the dry season deposited eggs upon our corn and increased so rapidly that many fields of corn, which I have had the privilege to investigate, show up millions of the larva which were just at the stage of entering the earth for the purpose of transformation to the moth, which process would consume perhaps two weeks, and as this was some ten days ago the time is very short till the light green to nearly white moth, with a winged expanse of about 1 1/2 inches will be busy depositing eggs upon the cotton plant which will hatch out in about two to four days. More especially are they active during the evening and early morning, as also after showers with cloudy and humid atmosphere, and especially do a greater per cent of the eggs hatch, and a young larva itself thrives under humid atmospheric conditions, and as local showers to quite general rains have occurred over most of this section, we may unerringly expect this pest in great numbers. As this larva when first hatched is very small, very tender and weak and not developed up to the stage where it is physically able to burrow in the most tender form, it feeds from liquid food which is secreted on the terminal bud, so it is at this stage of the life cycle of the worm that we have an opportunity to destroy many, and the most practical methods of the average farmer is the brushing of the plant, which can be

readily attached to a cultivator so that the brushing and cultivating can be performed at one operation. Again, by this manner of operation millions of baby worms are buried in the soil so deeply that they perish through lack of physical strength to dig out.

This method is not an experiment, but facts proven by actual tests. Special Agent J. E. Henson of Shawnee, Oklahoma, last season succeeded in getting one demonstrator to go over 10 acres in a 40 acre field just once, with the result that the farmer produced 200 pounds more seed cotton per acre from this 10 acres than was produced on this not so treated, yet another farmer cultivated and brushed 5 acres, a portion of a field, three times with the result that 1000 pounds per acre of seed cotton was produced on the treated portion, while the remainder of the field only produced 200 pounds per acre.

The worm can also be poisoned at this stage, but it is impractical by reason of the average farmer refusing to accept this method, and not but it would pay and pay big, and to those who will go to the expense for poison and machine and labor, Paris green or other arsenical poisons applied by either dusting or spraying will do effective work. If applied in the dust form, which is the least expensive, the Paris green can be mixed with air-slacked lime as about one part to fifty, or 1 pound to 50 gallons of water, but either method, to do the job easily and complete, would necessitate buying a machine and by either method from one to three pounds of poison per acre, according to size of plant, at each application. But I must insist that the average farmer's successful method is through culture with brush attached, fall or winter plowing to break up the hibernating pupa, as by this method many farmers can be induced into their destruction, which will finally reduce our losses to the minimum.

F. F. FERGUSON.

RIDDLE'S METHOD OF RAISING CORN

W. R. Riddle left three ears of corn at the News office today that certainly do not look like dry weather corn. He calls it the Pontotoc County White. He says his method is to plant it in rows seven feet apart, planting a row of peas for his hogs in each middle. As a result of this method of culture, he says he will average twenty-five or thirty bushels to the acre on his field of fifteen acres, while several renters on his place, whose fields will aggregate seventy-five acres, will not make ten bushels on the entire farm.

Tyrola Picnic Called Off.

The News is in receipt of a notice from J. F. Robinson to the effect that the picnic scheduled for that place on the 28th has been called off on account of the dry weather and lack of water.

No Court Today.

District court convened at the usual time this morning, but the spirit of Trades Day had so infected everybody that it was impossible to get a jury. Accordingly the court adjourned and all parties concerned took in the sights of the big day.

TRADES DAY GREAT SUCCESS

BIG CROWD FROM ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTY IN TOWN.

HAVE MANY FINE EXHIBITS

Events of the Day—Sporting Events Attract Much Attention.

Circus day is not in it a little bit compared with Trades Day when it comes to a crowd. Since early morning there has scarcely been standing room anywhere on the streets. The crowd has been estimated at from 4,000 to 5,000 and the News is inclined to believe that fully that many people have been on the streets. Every section of the county is represented and every event has been full of interest.

The day opened with the sporting events, the results of which will be noted below. The crowd spread along both sides of Broadway for about five blocks to witness the races, and so eager were the spectators, that it was with difficulty that they were kept back, and the racers given a fair showing.

The parade left the Davis barn about 11 o'clock and followed the route advertised. It was headed by the Allen band, after which came a big animal cage gaily decorated with advertisements of the Grand Leader. In the cage were Ollie Lancaster's great Dane dog and C. D. Price's lion looking St. Bernard. Little Miss Mary Price was in the cage like a young lion tamer. Then came J. W. Davis's exhibit of good mules and wagon, followed by a long string of wagons and other vehicles and a number on horseback.

There was quite a surprise in store for the citizens of Ada. Of course it was known that a band is in course of organization, but Prof. Beck had gone further than the people were aware of. The rear of the procession was brought up with the Ada band of about a dozen or fifteen pieces, and the boys did surprisingly well. They and Prof. Beck are to be congratulated.

The exhibit of stock at the Davis barn was particularly good. Entries of all descriptions were made, and made a fine showing for the country's resources in livestock.

The exhibit of products at the Harris hotel building was something that raised the spirits of the people as high as the mercury in the thermometer, for they showed that things are not quite as discouraging as had been thought. The house was crowded full of every imaginable product. The poultry exhibit was especially fine. All kinds of fancy work was shown, and the manual and art departments of the normal had a splendid exhibit of work done by the students.

The events of the afternoon will consist of an address by Col. Sidney Suggs on the subject of good roads, and if possible, an organization will be effected. F. S. White, agricultural commissioner of the Frisco will follow and after that the crowd will be invited to examine the fine line of exhibits in his special car on the side track near the depot. The closing event of the day will be the ball game at the Normal between the Normal boys and the All Professionals.

Owing to the general confusion and rush and the fact that all the awards have not been made, and also to the further fact that the News is printed an hour earlier today than usual, it is impossible to give the list of winning exhibitors today.

This will be done tomorrow, however, and other features overlooked in this hasty writeup will then be given attention.

The town was out in its glad rags, and nearly every business house had some sort of decoration. It resembled a Fourth of July celebration.

Results of Sporting Events.

Pony Race—Miss Johnnie Lucas, winner.
Pony race for boys under 15—Erskin Davenport.
Foot Race, boys under 15—Paul Young.
Young Men's Foot Race—Lee McKinney.
Catching Greased Pig—Frank McCain.

WORKING ON CANADIAN BRIDGE AT PURCELL

Purcell, Ok., July 17.—Work is going ahead very favorably on the Purcell-Lexington bridge, the pile driver having been actively at work for several days, and a number of sets of piling driven for the approaches on the west end of the structure. Work will now proceed vigorously and the bridge will soon begin to assume definite proportions.

Three Inch Rain at Guthrie.

Guthrie, Ok., July 16.—The heaviest rain in two years fell here early Sunday morning, amounting to 3 1/8 inches, insuring the biggest cotton crop ever known in this locality, and making certain the big acreage of late forage crops planted during the past two weeks. A severe electrical storm accompanied the rain. The Cimarron and Cottonwood Rivers are running bank full.

WRECK ON KATY AT DENISON

Denison, Tex., July 16.—Katy Flyer No. 5 on the Dallas division went through an open switch at Bonham Junction, five miles south of this city at 5:15 o'clock this afternoon while going forty miles an hour.

The engine of the Flyer was turned over and was demolished and three cars of ties on the sidetrack were reduced to wreckage.

The front trucks of the express car left the track, but the remainder of the train did not leave the rails.

Engineer James Blair and Fireman F. P. Mallow jumped and escaped with slight injuries. Express Messenger T. C. Hamilton of Parsons, Kan., sustained bruises by being thrown against the end of the car by the impact. His helper, T. C. England of Parsons, suffered a broken finger on the right hand and was otherwise bruised.

None of the passengers were injured.

The train was in charge of Conductor B. J. Swanner and left Denison about fifteen minutes late. The approach to Bonham Junction is slightly down grade and the heavy train was making fast time in order to climb the hill on the other side of the junction. Engineer Blair discovered the open switch in time to apply the air before he and his fireman jumped. It is not known who is responsible for the switch being left open, but an investigation is being held to locate the responsibility.

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THE MAN WHO NAMED OKLAHOMA

Every little while a discussion concerning the origin and meaning of the word "Oklahoma" goes the rounds of the press. If there is a man in the state who is in a position to know the true facts of the case, it is ex-Governor Wm. L. Byrd of the Chickasaw Nation, and the News accepts his version of the matter.

According to this pioneer, who for over sixty years has been a resident of the state, during the early days of the Territory old Oklahoma was designated by some as "No Man's Land," "Cherokee Strip," "Cherokee Outlet" and other names. It is a principle among the Indians to give everything a descriptive name, and in following this custom, Allen Wright, first elected governor of the Choctaws, and an intimate friend of Gov. Byrd, stated that although the ownership of the land might be in dispute, it was a potent fact that Indians were found in all quarters of it, so he called it "Okla homa" the country of red people, and Oklahoma it has been ever since, although the boundaries of the original territory so designated has been enlarged to embrace the entire Indian Territory.

Gov. Byrd also supplies the following data concerning the life of Gov. Wright. This prominent member of the Choctaw tribe was born near the present site of Jackson, Mississippi, in 1826. He was a full blood Indian, and his family among the Choctaws corresponded to the F. F. V.'s of Virginia. Gov. Wright was a man of rare intellectual ability, and did much for the advancement of his people.

He lost his mother in early youth, and in 1834 immigrated with his father, brothers and sisters to the Indian Territory. After the death of his father he was taken in charge by Rev. Cyrus Kingsbury, a missionary to the Indians. He entered Spencer academy, a Choctaw school, in 1841, and in 1848 was one of five selected to attend school in the East. He chose Princeton and remained there two years. From there he went to Union College, Schenectady, N. Y., where he graduated in 1852. He then entered Union Theological Seminary in New York City, and remained there until his graduation.

After his return to his people he was elected to many offices, including the governorship in 1866, 1868 and in the 70's.

Duke Stone came in from Oklahoma City last night to attend court. He expects to join his wife and little daughter in the mountains of Colorado in about a week.

C. H. Rives spent yesterday in Stonewall.

THE TENT MEETING 8TH AND OAK AVENUE

We had a good attentive crowd out last night to hear the subject: "The Two Covenants" and it was made plain that the Ten Commandments were not the old covenant and were not nailed to the cross, but that the old covenant was the agreement of the people Israel to keep God's laws and that the law "nailed to the cross" was the typical or Levitical law.

It seems exceedingly strange that any one who claims to be Christian would teach that God's commandments have been done away and we do not love to keep them "Under grace?" Yes, but do you think grace gives license to kill, steal or commit adultery? The principles of the ten commandments are eternal in their nature. It will always be wicked for any nation or people to worship false gods, steal or bear false witness. The Bible teaches that to keep the commandments is the whole duty of man and the new covenant which was made not with the Gentiles but with the Israelites was the promise of God, not to nail his law to the cross, but to write it in their hearts and when you come to our tent you may expect to be taught to keep God's commandments and not that they are done away. If the state of Oklahoma had no law how could you be charged with crime? and if God has taken away all law how can he judge men?

The subject tonight will be: "Spiritual Gifts." We have good comfortable seats and you are welcome if you come to hear.



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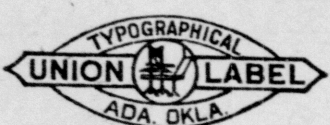
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A SCHEME THAT FAILED.

For years Dr. Wiley, the govern-
ment pure food expert, has been a
thorn in the side of the big houses
that thrive by selling adulterated
food to the people. Human health
and life is nothing to these vamps
when compared with the money
they are able to wrench from the
hands of a helpless public, and so
powerful are they that only Wiley
seemed to have the nerve to stand
for the protection of the people. A
few days ago charges were trumped
up against this faithful official, and
the attorney general recommended
that he be removed from office. This
action brought about a storm which
threatens to sweep the whole crew
of commercial pirates from their feet,
and has brought thousands of friends
to the rescue of Wiley. The tables
seem fairly turned and the would-be
prosecutors are now on the defensive.
President Taft would hardly
dare to fire Wiley in the face of an
aroused public opinion, especially
when election time is so near at
hand.

The News has no sympathy with
Oklahoma papers that are taking pot
shots at Oklahoma City declaring
that its boom has been punctured and
that the city is about to collapse. It
is not good policy, for even if they
succeeded in convincing the outside
world that such is the case it will
hurt the rest of the state about as
badly as it does the city itself. We
are all in the same boat and can-
not afford to throw bricks. Bricks
of that kind always prove boom-
erangs. The News does not believe
Oklahoma City is going to the demin-
tion bow wows, not at all. It is prob-
able that in common with all other
cities of the state, the metropolis has
been affected by the drouth but like
all others it will pull out and go
forward just as in times past. As for
the capitol proposition, we are con-
tent to await developments a little
further before indulging in harsh
criticisms of Oklahoma City and her
business men.



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change irons; it keeps the right tem-
perature always, therefore better
work. Wash and iron the new way—
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The asphalt business has brought
quite a large sum of outside money
to Ada. However, Mr. Herring has
been put to no end of trouble in
securing freight rates that would per-
mit him to compete with other places.
The News suggests that the Chamber
of Commerce lend its assistance to
him in getting a settled rate. Prac-
tically all of the money paid for the
asphalt is spent right here at home
and the industry should be given all
possible encouragement.

An editor is often censured be-
cause of mistakes he makes, but the
fact remains that he makes no more
than other people. The only differ-
ence is that his mistakes are in black
and white and spread open for the
gaze of a critical public, while oth-
ers can conceal theirs.

Things in the vicinity of Hugo
must be rather lifeless just now. The
Husonian states that a few days ago
a passenger train went through the
town without a soul on board except
the train crew. You should witness
a few train arrivals at Ada, brother.
It would be an eye opener to you.

The News is reminded that the
council has not yet acted on the Car-
negie library proposition. What is
the matter with taking it up at to-
night's meeting, gentlemen?

The Gamble of Life.

Eugene Ware the Kansas poet died
last week. He was one of the best
known characters in the Sunflower
state, and his poetry has received
recognition all over the country. The
following verses "whist" from his
pen, sum up the game of life:

Hour after hour the cards were fair-
ly shuffled
And fairly dealt, but still I got on
hand;
The morning came, and with a mind
unruffled
I only said, "I do not understand."

Life is a game of whist. From un-
seen sources
The cards are shuffled and the
hands are dealt;
Blind are our efforts to control
the aces.
That, though unseen, are no less
strongly felt.

I do not like the way the cards are
shuffled,
But yet I like the game and want
to play;
And through the long, long night
will I unruffled,
Play what I get until the break of
day.

Dry Times at Oklahoma City.

Oklahoma City, July 17.—Okla-
homa City was nearer dry Saturday
afternoon and night than it has been
since the era of grand juries, al-
most two years ago, and the cause
of it all, according to some of the
"bootleggers" was fear of W. L.
Tilghman, newly appointed police
chief, and fear also of the renewed
activity displayed by the sheriff's
force in raiding for beer and whisky.
One of the most conclusive proofs
that Oklahoma City was dry Satur-
day is the fact that in the five
blocks from Grand avenue to Fourth
street, on Broadway, where ordinar-
ily either whiskey or beer can be
bought from at least a dozen places,
neither drink was obtainable under
any circumstances.

"We've absolutely quit," declared
one bootlegger, Saturday afternoon.
"Almost everyone else has, too. You
may get it in one or two places and
a few rooming houses, but those that
are on the inside are scared and will
be closed for sometime."

"None of them is certain whether
Bill Tilghman is going to close
things up, but they know if he says
he is, that he'll do it, and if Bill
come right out and says the town's
got to be dry, believe ME she'll be
dry."

The same sentiment seemed to
prevail throughout the ranks of the
law violators, and a recent statement
of Chief Tilghman is which he
declared he would enforce the ordi-
nances, has added speed to the exor-
dus and "business" of the liquor
dealers.

The sheriff's office, too, has work-
ed faithfully for the last few days
on members of the bootlegging frater-
nity, and started out Saturday
night to continue the work.

For the first time in the memory
of the deputies, not a single drop of
liquor was found.

Odd Fellowship Prosperous.

C. M. Chauncey, special deputy
grand master of Odd Fellowship, has
spent a week in this section of the
state and returned yesterday to his
home at Ada. He will return here
next Friday night to assist in the
reorganization of the lodge at Baum.
In speaking of the work of the or-
der, Mr. Chauncey said that Odd
Fellowship was moving along nicely
the greater portion of the lodges are
meeting regularly, the per capita tax
has been paid, they have contributed
liberally to the state home and are
happy in their work.—Ardmorite.

The GIRL of MY DREAMS

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WILBUR D. NESBIT AND OTTO HAUERBACH
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CHAPTER I.

Harry Swifton hummed a song to
himself and threw a little more speed
into his roadster.

He had every reason to be happy.
Long regarded as a settled bachelor,
though young enough to be the sort
of chap all the girls were setting their
caps for, he felt that this was to be
the really great day of his life. Lucy
Medders and her father were coming
to visit him; his sister Carolyn was
coming home from boarding school
especially to play the hostess, the
home had been made spick and span
for the occasion, the sun was shining,
the little birds were singing in the
trees of the park, his roadster was
running smoothly and—well, he hadn't
a care in the world.

As he took corners in the driveways
without slackening speed he mur-
mured:

"Good little buzz wagon! You're
the cupid that started all this."

In memory, he could see again that
day of the summer before when in the
same machine he was whizzing along



Harry Swifton.

a country road. Something happened,
the machine skidded, with the usual
result.

When Harry came to his senses he
was lying on an old-fashioned hair
sofa, in an old-fashioned Quaker
home—but he thought he was in
heaven.

Above him bent a Quaker damsel,
demurely beautiful and distractingly
calm. She was bathing his brow with
a cloth wrung out of cold water to
which some camphor had been added.
"Do thee feel better?" she asked, in
the softest of tones.

"It depends," he managed to say.
"If you're going to stop this because
I'm better, I'm going to have a re-
lapse."

Then into the room came a stalwart
old Quaker.

"Has the young man recovered,
Lucy?" he asked.

"Yes, father," she said. Harry sat
up, with an effort.

"I don't know how to thank you,
sir," he said. "It was lucky that I
went into the ditch right in front of
your house."

With the word "lucky" he looked
meaningly at Lucy, but that self-pos-
sessed maiden did not seem to catch
his double meaning.

The result of the accident is not
hard to guess. Harry found himself
so bumped and bruised that it took a
fortnight for him to be well enough to
return to his home. And in that fort-
night he and Lucy became so well ac-
quainted that it then became neces-
sary for him to run up to see her—
a mere matter of a hundred miles—
once every week. And now he had
induced her father to bring her to visit
him and his sister.

He reviewed in his mind the events
of the days since the accident. Pleas-
ant thoughts, those for a young man.
They take his mind off the immediate
surroundings, however.

Automatically he whirled around
another corner—then began doing
things with the brake, but too late.

Twenty yards before him approached
another auto. In it sat a couple ob-
livious to their danger. There was a
smash and a crash, a shriek and a
yell. And then the three people picked
themselves up.

The man in the other auto leaped
to his feet first and shook his fists
at Harry. The lady gathered her hair
into a coil again and exclaimed:

"My hat! My beautiful hat!"

Harry followed the direction of her
glance, and saw the object of her dis-
may. A handsome hat of yellow
straw, adorned with large red flowers,
was hopelessly entangled in the steer-
ing gear of his machine.

He extricated it—or what he could
of it—and offered it to her. But with a
tearful exclamation of despair she
refused it.

"Scoundrel!" shouted her friend.

"Vy do you go running around kill-
ing peeples, and ruining their hats?"

"My dear count!" cried the lady.

"Not so loud!"

But the count was not to be calmed.
In spite of Harry's efforts to explain
matters, he continued his staccato ex-
pressions of wrath and vengeance, un-
til, giving up the idea of straightening
matters out, Harry popped into his
own machine, skilfully ran past the

other auto, and resumed his home-
ward ride. In a moment the count
and the lady were in their seat again,
the count wheeled his machine about,
and the pursuit began. By some deft
turnings and twistings Harry man-
aged to evade them and at last
reached home.

He dashed into the house, eager to
change his clothes and be ready to
go to the station to meet Mr. Medders
and Lucy. "Pigeon" Williams met
him. Pigeon, as he was affectionately
called, was a young man who tried
his best to be a chum of Harry—for
the reason that he was unusually at-
tracted by Harry's sister Carolyn. It
was natural that Pigeon should be at
Swifton's that morning. He wanted
to help Harry have things ready to
entertain Lucy and her father, and
besides he thought it would cheer
Carolyn up to see one of her old
friends on her own arrival.

"Is Carolyn here?" Harry asked, as
he came in.

"Sure," replied Pigeon. "She got
here half an hour ago—mad as the
dickens because you didn't meet her
at the train. Why didn't you? If I'd
known you weren't going to, of course
I could have gone."

"I meant to," Harry replied. "But
I had a bit of a smash-up in the park."

"Smash-up? Again?"

"Nothing that amounted to much.
Head-on bump into one of these run-
about things—run about a day and
then blow up. German dignity in
it, with a dashing brunette. No won-
der he couldn't see me coming. He
had to look at her."

"Didn't hurt them?"

"No. Just knocked the breath out
of all of us. And her hat fell off,
and my machine chewed it up. Look."

Harry dug into his pocket and pro-
duced the brim of the lady's hat, with
a trailing string of red poppies. Pi-
geon laughed.

"Keep it for a souvenir?" he asked.

"Don't know. The German fellow
got mad, and I came away in such a
hurry I forgot what I was doing.
Stuck the thing in my pocket absent-
mindedly, I guess."

"He got mad! No wonder."

"I think he's real peeved. When I
made my get-away he got his old cook
stove into action and tried to follow
me. But I escaped."

Harry went into his room and
Pigeon sat down.

"How's Carolyn looking?" Harry
called to him.

"Fine and dandy. Say, Harry,"

Pigeon went on, maliciously, "the fel-
lows have it in for you."

"In for me! Why?" asked Harry, in
muffled tones, tugging at a collar but-
ton.

"They say you're a quitter. You
used to be strong for stag parties, and
all that, and now you don't care for
anything but the country—and a coun-
try girl."

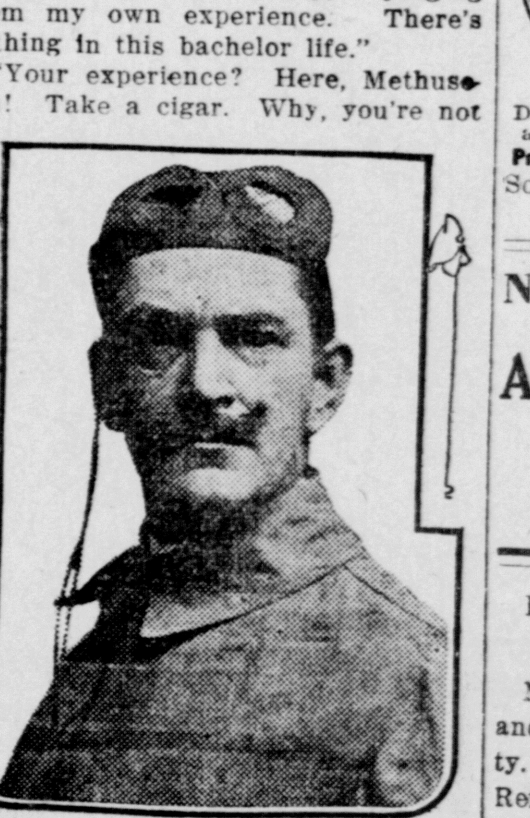
"That so?" Harry said, coming out.

"Well, let 'em say what they please.
I'm for the country—that's where you
go for pure air, green fields, natural
flowers, and natural girls. Pigeon, I'm
through with all this bachelor stuff.
No more of the stag suppers and po-
ker parties for yours truly. I'm ready
to quit and be good—if my plans
work."

"I think you're dead right, Harry."

Pigeon replied, solemnly, "Judging
from my own experience. There's
nothing in this bachelor life."

"Your experience? Here, Methus-
lah! Take a cigar. Why, you're not



Count Von Fitz, Whose Flirtatious Es-
capades Were Discussed on All
Sides.

even old enough to use a safety razor,
boy!"

Pigeon blushed boyishly and felt of
his tender mustache with an embar-
rassed guilty expression.

"You're always rubbing it in on a
fellow," he complained.

CHAPTER II.

Harry laughed sarcastically, and in
the midst of his laugh Carolyn dashed
into the room. A jolly, romping girl,
just at the age when a girl doesn't
know whether to keep on being a girl
or to consider herself a woman, she
paused for a moment at sight of
Pigeon, then lost her formality and
ran to Harry to greet him.

"Isn't she some girl, though?" Harry
cried to Pigeon, with his arms around
his sister. "Have to keep my eyes on
you, from now on, young lady!
You're getting to be too big and
pretty."

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Homer Adams of Ardmore was in town this morning, very much interested in Trades Day and the Ada normal.

Miss Ora Powers, who has been here on a visit to her grand parents, G. W. Chisler and wife, returned to her home at Conway, Arkansas, this morning.

Editor Clark of the Wigwag, was down from Francis this morning. He stated that the waterworks of Francis will be ready for testing about the 20th.

H. J. Rose and family, who have been visiting the family of W. D. Duncan, returned to Oklahoma City this morning.

Mrs. J. J. McKanna, Jr., of Richmond, Va., is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. E. E. Fowler, before going to San Francisco to join her husband, who will engage in business in that city.

Four new members of the newly organized band arrived yesterday. These are Glenn Wells and Wallace Jones of Hennessey, Okla., Sam Crockett of McAlester and Mr. Gillespie of Ardmore.

Supt. Pierce, who has just returned from a trip to the extreme southern part of the county states that the big rain which fell there a week ago has put new life into things. Cotton could not be finer, and the corn has taken a new start. He also saw some very fine millet which the rain came just in time to save.

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Thanks Pontotoc Citizens.
This morning Mrs. Jones, who with her two children was traveling from Madill to Oklahoma City, had the misfortune to lose her purse on the train, or it is possible that it was stolen. At all events when she arrived in Ada she had not a cent with which to continue her journey. In a short time, however, a purse of \$8.10 was made up for her from the assembled crowd on the streets, for which she desires the News to extend her sincere thanks.

Beck-Armour.
Cupid has again invaded the ranks of the single of Ada and this time his happy victims are Mr. Herman Beck and Miss Eloise Armour. The couple were married June 21 at the home of the bride at Fredericktown, Mo. Since then they have traveled through the Eastern states, arriving at Ada last night. At present they are at the home of the groom's brother, A. L. Beck, where they will remain until the completion of their cozy cottage on Rennie avenue.

The groom is one of Ada's most promising young men. He has been with the cement company for a long time, and his habits of industry and perseverance have marked him for a bright future, one of the kind needed in the development of a new country.

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L. W. Crutcher of Holdenville was an Ada visitor yesterday.

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ONE ACQUITTAL AND ONE CONVICTION

The jury in the Litley Black case arrived at a verdict of not guilty late Saturday afternoon. It was a stubbornly fought case and the jury had quite a little trouble in reaching an agreement.

The Gillam case for horse theft went to the jury late in the afternoon, and after a short deliberation, a verdict of guilty was arrived at, the punishment being fixed at a year in the penitentiary.

Muskogee Booster in Town.

Yesterday Theodore Gulick, commissioner of public works of Muskogee and the city engineer, spent a few hours in Ada inspecting the paving with a view of using Oklahoma asphalt on the streets of Muskogee. They were driven to the mines west of town by Otis Weaver and shown about the city. They expressed themselves as being most favorably impressed with what they found here.

Mr. Gulick is one of the best known boosters of Oklahoma. For a number of years he was secretary of the commercial club of his city during which time Muskogee's growth and development was something marvelous. When the commission government was adopted his past services were recognized by his election to the position he now occupies.

Examine Tickets Closely.

Hereafter travelers holding round trip tickets will do well to scrutinize closely the date on such transportation or they may be given the option of paying a second fare or walking. The interstate commerce commission has ruled that tickets will expire on the date they are stamped. If a journey shall be started before midnight of the date on which the ticket shall expire the passenger must pay fare for that part of the journey that is to be covered after midnight. Its effect will be felt principally by tourist to the Pacific coast. It has been customary for passengers to and from the coast to depart on the last day of the ticket's life.

C. A. Andrews of Altus, who happened to hear of the Ada Trades Day while in Sulphur, came over this morning to witness the interesting event.

Dr. H. H. Wynne, the specialist, is down from Oklahoma City today on his usual fortnightly trip to Ada.

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Prof. A. E. Dunham returned this morning from a trip to Sulphur.

Mrs. Orel Harper and sister, Mrs. A. L. Jones, went to Allen yesterday.

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The Girl of My Dreams

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(Continued from Page Two.)

"I'm not too big!" pouted Carolyn.
"Not a bit—and you couldn't be too pretty," Pigeon earnestly declared.
"I'll have to keep my eye on you, Harry," Carolyn giggled. "Wait until Lucy comes. Do you call her 'thee'?"
"I haven't turned into a whole Quaker yet," Harry answered. "Now you run along and see that this house looks like something."
"You'd better get some one to expurgate this den of yours," Carolyn flashed at him as she left the room. "Lucy and her father may be shocked at some of the things here."
"I'd like to know what there is in here to shock anyone," Harry said to Pigeon.

"Oh, nothing much," Pigeon chuckled. "But maybe that picture of the ballet girl and that figure of the Venus de Milo, and some of the other highly decorative effects are not quite what Lucy has at home."
"Why, those are works of art," Harry said.

"Here's General Blazes to see you, Harry," called Carolyn from the hallway.

"Come right in, general!" Harry said. General Blazes, pompous, irascible and dignified, was Harry's attorney in several matters having to do with the estate left him by his father. He entered the room as gravely and as impressively as though he were approaching the bench of the United States Supreme court, and said:

"Good morning, boy. Here"—taking a packet from his inside pocket—"here are the deeds, all duly signed and sealed. I believe you will need no further advice from me."

"Thank you, general," Harry said, taking the documents. "That's mighty good of you. I appreciate your kindness in bringing them in yourself."

"No trouble at all, I assure you. I was passing on my way to my office."

"Won't you have a little nip of something to strengthen you for the walk?"

"No, thank you. I am rather in haste. I am slightly worried about Mrs. Blazes."

"Worried? Why, I trust she is not ill."

"Not at all. She left early today, to shop for a sick friend."

"Shopping for a sick friend," chuckled Harry. "Are they having special sales of sick friends?"

The general ignored the jest, as, indeed, he ignored all jests.

"After that," he continued, "she was going to attend a luncheon where the ladies were to meet this Count von Fitz, who is such a social lion now."

"I've heard of him."

"Well," the general remarked, "I am dallying here when I should be hastening on. My wife should have been at home by this time. By the way, I don't believe you have met Mrs. Blazes."

"I met two of your wives at different times," Harry smiled; for the matrimonial experiments of the general were subjects of much comment.

"She's not one of the two," the general replied. "They left me by way of Reno long ago. I'm not a bam dit sorry."

Harry laughed again, for when the general became excited it was his habit to get his words twisted, sometimes with ludicrous effect.

The general regarded Harry's amusement with calm disapproval.

"My boy," he said, dropping his hand on Harry's shoulder, "let me give you one bit of good advice—not legal. When you marry for the third time—"

"But I haven't married my first yet," Harry protested.

"You will, however. And when you marry for the third time, don't marry a young, beautiful woman."

"Don't?"

"No. Don't. Half the time she's have you making a fam dool of yourself."

Having delivered himself of this sage observation, the general stalked to the door, turned and bade Harry farewell, and started out, to bump against a woe-begone person, who was coming in at the same moment.

"I—I beg your pardon, humbly!" exclaimed the newcomer, in a thin, high, weepy voice.

"Br-r-r-r!" grumbled the general, brushing by him.

The newcomer glided in. His long, dank hair hung down to his collar, his white, thin hands plucked with melancholy grace at the ruyroft he was wearing, and his eyes, which were set deep in his head, gleamed weirdly.

"Alas!" he said, "it is you!"

"You're a good guesser, Primmer," Harry said, grasping his hand. "I'm glad you could come to see us."

Socrates Primmer, a distant cousin of Lucy, and a school teacher who considered himself a poet, had accepted Harry's off-hand invitation to come and visit him at the same time as Lucy and her father were to come.

Harry had not dreamed that Primmer would come, for he knew Primmer had long considered himself a suitor for the hand of the demure Quakeress. Nevertheless, here he was, and in the hand that was not adjusting his neck-

tie was held a large hatbox, labeled, "Mlle. Daphne."

"Make yourself at home, old chap."



Socrates Primmer was a School Teacher Who Considered Himself a Poet.

Harry said. "What's that? Your baggage?"

"This?" Primmer sighed, indicating the hatbox. "This is a present I bought for Lucy. I happened to see it in the window of a store near here, and I purchased it and had it sent to this address. It just came, so I want to put it away and later give it to her with my own hands. Alas, my poor, poor Lucy!"

"Why—what's happened? What's so sad about Lucy?"

"She—she—oh, my poor, poor Lucy!" Primmer wailed, going slowly from the room.

"Well, wouldn't that bump you!" Harry soliloquized. "Cousin Socrates is evidently allowing his blighted affections to act on his lachrymal glands. Now, looking about the room, I expect I'd better send Venus and the ballet girls to the attic for a much-needed rest."

He was just about to take the ballet girl picture from the wall, when he was startled by an angry argument in the hallway. One voice was that of a woman, another that of the butler, and the third the broken accents of the German into whose auto Harry had smashed.

"Great guns!" he exclaimed. "They've trailed me down."

Into the room rushed the pair. "You!" both cried.

CHAPTER III.

For a moment the couple looked at Harry and Harry looked at them. It would be difficult to say whether they or he felt the greater surprise.

"I want that hat!" spoke the lady, in determined tones.

"Yess. Ve vant dot hat!" said the gentleman.

"I haven't a hat," Harry explained. The German was about to explode in a few belligerent remarks, but the lady put her hand on his arm to restrain him, and said in milder tones:

"You can help me out of a most distressing situation, sir."

"How so, madam?" Harry asked.

"We have just come from the new milliner's around the corner. I recognize you as the gentleman who figured in that unfortunate accident this morning, and strangely enough the milliner says that she sent to this house within an hour the perfect duplicate of my hat, which your auto ruined."

"Yellow it was," interrupted the German. "Yellow, mit red pupples on it."

"Popples, not pupples, count," said the lady. "Now, sir," to Harry, "I must have the hat which was sent here. Mine was an imported model and the milliner had but this one duplicate."

"There has been no hat delivered here," Harry replied.

"But it was," the lady argued. "And I must have it."

"I will go now, if you please," said the German, who had been growing more and more nervous, evidently being anxious to be well out of the scrape as soon as possible.

"No," Harry said, sternly. "Wait a minute. If the hat was sent here I should know it. There may be a mistake. Ring up this milliner person and find out just what there is to it. Use the phone there, madam."

The lady smiled with relief, went to the phone and called for a number.

"Hello," she said. "Is Ma'mselle Daphne Daffington there? Is this you, Ma'mselle?"

"Daphne Daffington!" Harry muttered. "Can't be little Daphne I used to flirt with!"

"This is Mrs. Blazes," the lady said into the phone.

Harry started at that. "Mrs. Blazes!" he said in a hoarse whisper to the German. "Not Mrs. General Blazes?"

"Exactly!" the German assured him.

"Where did you deliver that duplicate of my hat?" Mrs. Blazes asked. After the reply, still holding the receiver to her ear, she turned and asked Harry:

"What's the number of this house?"

"Three hundred and ten."

"They say it didn't reach here," Mrs. Blazes said into the phone. "What? You are sure it did? You will come over yourself? Thank you."

She hung up the receiver and turned

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WESTWARD				EASTWARD			
P M	A M	Lv	Ar	P M	A M	Lv	Ar
	7 00			5 00			
			LEHIGH				
	7 35		Nixon	4 30			
	8 05		Tupelo	4 05			
	8 40		Stonewall	3 40			
	9 00		Frisco	3 27			
	9 20		Truax	3 14			
	10 05		ADA	2 55			
3 30			Center		1 40		2 34
3 50	11 15		Vanoss		1 25		2 20
4 02	11 35				12 00		2 02
4 20	12 40	Lv	STRATFORD	Lv	12 55		
4 40	1 40		Byars	Ar	12 00		1 42
5 07	2 05		Rosedale		11 15		1 17
5 20	2 18		Vineennes		10 50		1 05
5 40	2 40	Ar	PURCELL	Lv	10 30		12 50
5 50	3 00	Lv		Ar	9 55		12 55
6 00	3 15		Gibbons Spur		9 30		12 28
6 10	3 35		Washington		9 17		12 20
6 34	4 25		Blanchard		8 45		12 00
6 52	4 55		Middleberg		8 10		11 40
7 05	5 25		Tabler		7 40		11 25
7 15	5 45		Cornville		7 15		11 15
7 30	6 00	Ar	CHICKASHA	Lv	7 00		11 00
P M	P M			A M	A M		

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Classification of Bachelors.
The tax on bachelors in Wisconsin is classed as a tax on unimproved property.

Nature Always True.
Nature never did betray the heart that loved her; 'tis her privilege, through all the years of our life, to lead from joy to joy.—Wordsworth.

Deep Mourning.
The manager of the theater racked his brain in vain. "We must do something," he repeated, bitterly. "People will expect us to do something to show respect to the proprietor, now that he is dead." "Shall we close for the night of the funeral?" suggested the assistant stage manager. "With this business? You're a fool, laddie, a fool. No; put the chorus in black stockings." And he was even so.

Kansas Revival of a Wet Old Jest.
A show at the opera house in Barnes. The villain was trying with might and main to force a drink of liquor down the throat of the hero, who resolutely refused it. A small boy in the audience yelled, "Give it to my pa; he'll drink it."—Greenleaf Sentinel.

CRUCE WILL NOT CALL EXTRA SESSION

Oklahoma City, July 17.—"I shall not issue a call for a special session of the legislature simply for the convenience of possible candidates for congress," said Governor Cruce today when asked regarding the probability of a special session for the redistricting of the State, should congress pass the reapportionment bill. "If Congress should pass the bill and it be possible for Oklahoma to elect the extra representatives provided without redistricting the state, there will be no special session for that. If the extra members allowed can be elected at large in the state there would be no occasion for a special session for redistricting the state. If the bill is passed and there is no other way to secure the full representation to which the state is entitled, except by a redistricting process, then it is likely an extra session will be called, but this will not be done except as a final resort. In any event, an extra session will be put off just as long as possible. This will be done for the reason that other matters that may appear which require attention, can be disposed of at the same time."

A great deal of speculation has been made from time to time concerning the possibility of a special session, in the event that congress should pass the reapportionment bill. Oklahoma would be entitled to three additional representatives in congress. There is much argument on the part of those who wish to survey a congressional district for himself that an extra session of the legislature would be just the thing, but the governor sees differently. He is opposed to the extra session simply for the purpose of redistricting the state, and thinks it would involve an unnecessary expenditure of money.

John Is Up to Snuff.
On returning from his trip around the World, General Grant was asked as to the greatest sight he had seen, and said: "A Jew trying to beat a Chinaman without being able to do it." The Jew has gained less foothold in China than any other country.

Too Often Happens That Way.
A Boston preacher tells that he once went out to preach at a country appointment. It was a rainy day, and there were but nine people in the congregation. The hymn chosen to begin the service was, "What means this eager, anxious throng?"

Comfort for Author.
The Author—Would you advise me to get out a small edition? The Publisher—Yes, the smaller the better. The more scarce a book is at the end of four or five centuries the more money you realize from it.

Some Cynic.
A spring poet, whose specialty is cynicism, dashed off the following: "The man who is brave enough to desire to marry the modern girl needs no further test of his courage."

Condensed Report of the Condition of

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ADA, OKLAHOMA

As reported to the Comptroller of the Currency at the close of business, Wednesday, June 7, 1911

Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and Discounts	\$134,531.75	Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
U. S. Bonds	12,500.00	Surplus & Profits	15,050.36
Bonds, Securities, etc.	11,810.39	Circulation	12,500.00
Bkg. House, Fur. and Fix.	14,222.80	Bills Payable	25,000.00
Other Real Estate	2,305.83	Deposits	128,264.01
Cash and Sight Exchange	55,443.60		
Total	230,814.37	Total	230,814.37

The above Statement is Correct.

FRANK JONES, Cashier.

(To be continued.)